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To: Commissioner for Patents

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May 28, 2008

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated <u>January 28, 2008</u>, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims <u>2-8, 13-15 and 20-22</u>.

The items checked below are appropriate:

 xx A petition for an extension of time to extend the period to respond to the final rejection to <u>May 28, 2008</u>, was

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filed on May 28, 2008.

- 2. xx A timely response to the final rejection has been filed, as provided in 841 O.G. 1411.
- 3. XX Fee \$ 510.00 or __ Small Entity \$255.00

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In the event this paper is not considered to be timely filed, applicant hereby petitions for an appropriate extension of time. The fee for this extension may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 111833, along with any other additional fees which may be required with respect to this paper.

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